

RESOLUTION NO.: 11-51

RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA, APPROVING THE EXPENDITURE TOTALING AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$3,000.00 FROM THE LAW ENFORCEMENT TRUST FUND - STATE, TO PURCHASE A COMPUTER AND RELATED EQUIPMENT FOR THE HIALEAH POLICE DEPARTMENT JUVENILE ARREST AND MONITOR (JAM) UNIT, UPON SUCH COSTS HAVING BEEN APPROVED BY THE CHIEF OF POLICE.

WHEREAS, the Hialeah Police Department, in an effort to combat juvenile delinquency and recidivism, is starting the Juvenile Arrest and Monitor (JAM) Unit; and

WHEREAS, the JAM Unit will work closely with the Juvenile Assessment Center (JAC) to monitor juveniles who have been arrested and placed on home detention pending the outcome of their cases; and

WHEREAS, the JAM Unit will facilitate the contacting of the juvenile offender by sworn police officers; and

WHEREAS, with this added attention, the juvenile offender will not feel lost in the system, and will be less susceptible to slipping back into a life of crime; and

WHEREAS, the JAM unit will consist of one full time detective; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to purchase a computer and related equipment for the detective to electronically send information to the various divisions in the Police Department and other agencies in Miami-Dade County; and

WHEREAS, the funds to cover these necessary and legitimate expenses are available in the Law Enforcement Trust Fund – *State*; and

WHEREAS, the Chief of Police has recommended adoption of this resolution and determined that the proposed expenditure complies with all applicable statutes.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA, THAT:

Section 1. The Mayor and the City Council of the City of Hialeah, Florida, approve the expenditure of an amount not to exceed \$3,000.00 from the Law Enforcement

Trust Fund –*State*, to purchase purchase a computer and related equipment for the Hialeah Police Department Juvenile Arrest and Monitor (JAM) Unit, upon such costs having been approved by the Chief of Police.

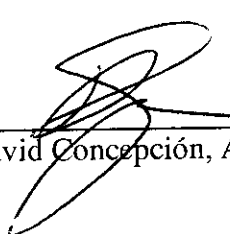
PASSED AND ADOPTED this 31st day of May, 2011.



Isis Garcia-Martinez
Council President

Attest:

Approved on the 3 day of JUNE, 2011.

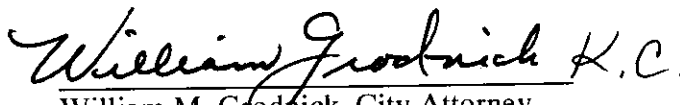


David Concepción, Acting City Clerk



Mayor Carlos Hernández

Approved as to legal sufficiency and form:



William M. Grodnick, City Attorney

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Resolution was adopted by a unanimous vote with Councilmembers, Caragol, Casals-Muñoz, Cue-Fuente, Garcia-Martinez, Gonzalez, and Yedra voting “Yes”.